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AND LIQUID-FORM SUBSTANCE PROCESSED THEREBY

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SUBMISSION OF TERMINAL DISCLAIMER AND VERIFIED TRANSLATION OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT

Sir:

In the present application, the issue fee was paid on May 27, 2004. However, it was requested by the Examiner on August 24, 2004 to file a verified translation of the priority document of Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-127082 and a terminal disclaimer relative to U.S. Patent No. 6,616,849.

In view of the request, the verified translation of the above priority document and the terminal disclaimer have been filed.

A credit card authorization form in the amount of \$110.00 is attached herewith for the terminal disclaimer.

Respectfully submitted,

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